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Native American Heritage Month



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In 1914, Red Fox James, a Blackfoot Indian, rode horseback from state to state seeking approval for a day to honor Native Americans as the first Americans. In 1915, the American Indian Association call for the observance of and President Calvin Coolidge issued a proclamation for an American Indian Day. In 1990 President George H. W. Bush approved a joint resolution designating November 1990 "National American Indian Heritage Month." Similar proclamations have been issued each year since 1994.

Race and national origin discrimination in employment and housing is unlawful under the Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA). The California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) investigates, mediates, and prosecutes violations of the FEHA. Having celebrated the FEHA's first half century, this year ushers in a new era of civil rights renaissance filled with a renewed commitment to providing public service, outreach, advocacy and resource. See www.dfeh.ca.gov.

DFEH Events This Month

- November 4 DFEH Director Phyllis Cheng makes presentations at the Employment Round Table of Southern California's (ERTSC) 2010 Annual Fall Conference and Awards Luncheon—Recognizing 20 years of ADA Legislation, 8 am-4 pm, Westin Bonadventure Hotel, 404 South Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90071. See http://www.ertsc.org/.
- ■November 8 DFEH Associate Chief Counsel Sybil Villanueva participates at the UCLA School of Law's Fifteenth Annual Government Reception and Information Fair, 4:30-6:30 pm, UCLA Faculty Center, 405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles 90024. See http://www.law.ucla.edu/home/Calendar/Detail.aspx?page=2173.



November 2010



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	ERTSC 2010 Annual Conference and Awards Luncheon	5	6
7	UCLA Law School Government Reception & Info. Fair	9	10	11 Veteran's Day	12	13
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21	22	23	24	25 Thanksgiving Day	26	27
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